

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Norbert Heske, et al.) Group: 3736
Serial No.: 10/549,820)
Filed: September 20, 2005)
Title: COAXIAL CANNULA PROVIDED WITH A)
SEALING ELEMENT) Examiner: M. Stout

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a response to the Restriction Requirement in the above-entitled application for two (2) months from June 16, 2008 to August 16, 2008.

Applicants submit herewith credit card payment form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$460.00 which covers the Extension of Time Fee Required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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